

# 23rd. Annual Report

## 1916-1917

# MONTANA SCHOOL FOR DEAF, BLIND AND BACKWARD CHILDREN

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## SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND

H. J. Menzemer, B. A., M. A.,	-	-	<i>President</i>
Miss Rosa Hammer,	-	-	<i>Secretary to President</i>

## TEACHERS OF THE DEAF

### LITERARY

H. E. Thompson,	-	-	<i>Librarian and Head Teacher</i>
Miss Sadie Lillard,	-	-	<i>Oral Teacher</i>
Mrs. Vira Wolpert,	-	-	<i>Teacher</i>
Miss Etta Mueller,	-	-	<i>Oral Teacher</i>
Miss Ruth Taylor,	-	-	<i>Teacher</i>
Miss Dorothy DeVerter,	-	-	<i>Special Teacher</i>
Miss Anita Wells,	-	-	<i>Teacher</i>

## TEACHERS OF THE BLIND

### LITERARY

J. Adams Morris,	-	-	-	-	<i>Teacher</i>
Miss Martha Russell,	-	-	-	-	<i>Teacher</i>

### MUSIC

Miss Agnes Haugan,	-	-	-	-	<i>Director</i>
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### PHYSICAL CULTURE

E. V. Kemp,	-	-	-	-	<i>Director</i>
Miss Sadie Lillard,	-	-	-	-	<i>Instructor</i>
Miss Ruth Taylor,	-	-	-	-	<i>Instructor</i>

## DOMESTIC SCIENCE AND ART

Mrs. M. M. Corey

### MEDICAL STAFF

I. A. Leighton, M. D.,	-	-	-	<i>Physician</i>
D. E. Rainville, M. D.,	-	-	-	<i>Physician</i>
Dr. C. M. Eddy,	-	-	-	<i>Dentist</i>
J. A. Donovan, M. D.,	-	-	-	<i>Oculist and Aurist</i>
Mrs. J. B. Salzmann, R. N.,	-	-	-	<i>Trained Nurse</i>

## DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

H. J. Menzemer, B. A., M. A.,	- - - - -	<i>President</i>
Miss Elizabeth Sherman,	- - - - -	<i>Matron</i>
Fred J. Low,	- - - - -	<i>Boys' Supervisor</i>
Mrs. Fred J. Low,	- - - - -	<i>Little Boys' Supervisor</i>
Miss Edna C. Bartley,	- - - - -	<i>Girls' Supervisor</i>
V. J. McKinnon,	- - - - -	<i>Engineer</i>
Frank B. Williams,	- - - - -	<i>Second Engineer</i>
M. C. Scott,	- - - - -	<i>Third Engineer</i>
John P. Finerty,	- - - - -	<i>Night Watch</i>

## INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT

### INSTRUCTORS

F. J. Low,	- - - - -	<i>Carpentry</i>
E. V. Kemp,	- - - - -	<i>Printing</i>
Miss Edna C. Bartley,	- - - - -	<i>Sewing</i>
J. A. Morris,	- - - - -	<i>Basketry and Hammock Weaving</i>
John L. Sullivan,	- - - - -	<i>Piano Tuning and Broom Making</i>
Percy TenEyck,	- - - - -	<i>Repairman and Storekeeper</i>
J. A. Menzemer,	- - - - -	<i>Cobbler and Teamster</i>
Frank H. Dean,	- - - - -	<i>Farmer</i>
Antone Lesserer,	- - - - -	<i>Dairyman</i>
John Anderson,	- - - - -	<i>Ranch Hand</i>

## SCHOOL FOR BACKWARD CHILDREN

### OFFICERS AND TEACHERS

H. J. Menzemer, B. A., M. A.,	- - - - -	<i>President</i>
T. A. Smith,	- - - - -	<i>Director</i>
Miss Florence Lovell,	- - - - -	<i>Teacher</i>
Miss Evelyn Johnson,	- - - - -	<i>Teacher</i>
Miss Dorothy Earll,	- - - - -	<i>Teacher</i>
Miss Lois Whitaker,	- - - - -	<i>Teacher</i>
Miss Mary MacKinnon,	- - - - -	<i>Teacher</i>
Miss M. E. Slack,	- - - - -	<i>Girls' Supervisor</i>
Mrs. Ada Falch,	- - - - -	<i>Relief Attendant</i>
Miss Hulda Farris,	- - - - -	<i>Nightwatch</i>

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

*To the Honorable State Board of Education:*

I beg leave to submit the twenty-third annual report of the Montana School for the Deaf, Blind and Backward Children, beginnning with December 1, 1916, and extending to November 31, 1917.

### ATTENDANCE

Slowly, but no less surely, our school grows from year to year. The Department for Backward Children cannot grow as it would if we had room, but the Ranch Dormitory has made a substantial increase possible. There has been enrolled during the year, eighty-two deaf, twenty-three blind and one hundred and five feeble-minded, or a total of two hundred ten. This shows an increase over last year and we expect at least one more deaf child January first.

### CONVENTION

A convention of workers for the Blind was held at Portland, Me., but owing to the rush of work here I was not able to attend. However, this was followed by another for the superintendents, principals, and teachers of the Deaf, at Hartford, Conn., and there I met many who had just come from the former convention and I got much of the spirit and many of the ideas which had predominated at the Portland Convention. Among the most important actions taken, was a tentative agreement on English Braille, with a few minor changes, as a uniform type for the Blind.

The Hartford Meeting was of great interest. First of all the most noted educators of the deaf were there as well as the brightest deaf men and all worked to make the meeting worth while. Perhaps the most interesting thing of all was the band and military drill of pupils from the New York Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. Many members of the band had different degrees of hearing, but all made a fine showing. They were a great credit to Dr. Currier, their superintendent, whose recent death we sincerely mourn. Another thing which added interest to the convention was the fact that the first school for the Deaf was founded at Hartford just 100 years ago, and the convention served as a centennial celebration of that event. Dr. Gallaudet, whose father founded the Hartford school, was in the city and saw many of us,

though he could not come to the meetings, owing to poor health. Since we left him, he, too, has passed to the Great Beyond—a true friend of the Deaf.

Our host and hostess, Supt. and Mrs. Wheeler, made us very welcome and did much to make the convention the success that it was.

### HEALTH

The health of our Institution family has been excellent. Aside from some light cases of measles, we have had only colds, sore fingers and minor ailments of eyes and ears.

The eye, ear, nose and throat specialist performed numerous operations with beneficial results in almost all cases, and with no bad effects in any case.

Two small boys were operated upon for hernia, and both have entirely recovered and are much helped. At the same time spurious growths were removed from two other children and this also has resulted in a decided improvement.

At the doctors' suggestion, I have asked that none visit us and that none of us visit Butte or Helena until such time as the epidemics have passed.

### FACULTY CHANGES

Our force of teachers and officers is much the same as last year.

In the Deaf Department, Miss Etta Mueller takes the place of Miss Aleorn. Miss Mueller comes to us after several years of successful teaching and after having had two years of training at the Indianapolis training school. Miss Edna C. Bartley, from the Idaho School is Girls' Supervisor and teacher of sewing.

The force in the Blind Department remains the same, as does that at the Ranch.

In the Department for Backward Children, Miss Lois Whittaker takes the place of Miss Driscoll, who resigned to accept a position as teacher in the high school of her home town. Miss Dorothy Earll, a successful teacher, who has had several years of experience in teaching Feeble Minded pupils, takes the place of Miss Christensen who left us to be married.

### DISCIPLINE

Our discipline is very mild---so much so that when a boy who is really a reform school case comes to us, we often have trouble with him, for he takes advantage of our rules, which allow for a great deal of self government. Aside from such pupils we have

no trouble with discipline.

#### FIRE DRILLS

Our fire drills continue as usual. Once each week when the weather is pleasant, the alarm is sounded and the children march out. The children enjoy it, the exercise gets the pupils awakened and the management approves because the hurried use of the drill may be necessary some time.

#### REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS

Everyone on the place has been very busy this summer. All the steam fittings, plumbing and electricity has been overhauled. Some of it will need more attention soon but all materials are so high now that we can hardly afford the changes. The steam main to the Backward Building needs to be protected by a large drain, which will draw off the surface water. The hot water pipe is beginning to leak, and will have to be renewed. The wiring in the B. Building needs to be renewed, and more storm windows bought. We have put storm windows on some of the coldest rooms. The painting in the Girls' Hall has been finished the small boys' dormitory has been painted, the tunnel, several of the floors and bath rooms, some rooms and halls at the F. M. building and several rooms at the ranch have also been painted. The old part of the Ranch house has been thoroughly painted to match the new, and the roof thoroughly worked over with graphite and oil. New Scotch Holland Curtains have been hung throughout the house also.

We have tried to repair the roof on the "B" building wherever it looked as though it might possibly leak, but the water evidently gets in some where else and runs down to a low place where it gets in through the ceiling. I doubt if it will ever be an effective job until the roof has been resingled.

As we were beginning to get crowded for office space in our old office, we moved the office across the hall in the rooms that used to be a teacher's Parlor and the Art room. The Art room was moved to another room and all seem to think it more suitable than the old room for the purpose; the old office rooms were turned into Teacher's parlors and the teacher's seem to feel that the change was decidedly for the better; we, in the office, also feel that the change has improved our office space. Taking it all in all, it has made a decided improvement.

A new root cellar has been built of concrete 40 ft. by 28 ft; it has a double wall to protect it from frost. Now we are covering it with dirt, but later we hope to put a building over it.

Last Spring's freshet took out our concrete bridge and when the crew from Deer Lodge was about to come over, our men built a scaffold and moved the steam pipes, returns, etc, and later moved them back on the new bridge.

The Deer Lodge crew worked steadily and well and we feel that with the amount of steel and cement that there are in the bridge, it should never go out. It is 20 ft. longer and considerably more massive than the old one.

The steam, water, electricity, etc, all had to be broken and moved; yet all was done, and our people scarcely realized that any change was being made.

The bridge is at a little different angle and we hope that the crew may return next spring and finish the work by straightening the course of the river. The approaches are pretty well filled but will need some more work before high water comes. The under pinning which was left until the cement had thoroughly set must be removed before high water, also.

Our new spur is doing us great service. It is very difficult to get coal but what we get we can unload in a short time, and so cause no delay for the cars.

At the ranch we are putting in a pressure tank water system. Our old gravity system did not have enough water to supply it fully and the pipes froze almost every winter in spite of all we could do. Our two old boilers which were discarded, we have put into a concrete pit to serve as the pressure tanks.

The foundation and the first floor slab for the proposed new building for low grade feeble minded has been poured and will be in good shape for the building when we are ready to build it.

This completes the list of large repairs and improvements, but dozens of small jobs have been done during the last year that are always essential to the life of a large institution.

#### SCHOOL WORK

At the opening of school, our teachers were enthusiastic over the rotating system, so we are continuing to use it. It keeps the pupils more busy, perhaps, but they are gaining more knowledge.

In the Deaf Department, our beginning class is made up of a fine bunch of little youngsters. They promise to become an excellent class. They, as well as the next class higher, are taught entirely by the oral method.

#### DEPARTMENT FOR THE BLIND

In this department, we have quite a crowd of new youngsters, also; but they are not as high class, mentally, as a whole, as the

others. The Superintendents and Principals will meet in Colorado Springs next summer and will then decide on the uniform type after which we hope to remodel our printing press and get down to work on the new system with the younger pupils.

#### DEPARTMENT FOR BACKWARD CHILDREN

As usual this department is more than full, though the Ranch Dormitory has relieved the school of about fifteen. And still we have 275 on the waiting list, and the survey will probably reveal many more. The greatest trouble seems to be in supplying buildings, equipment and help to take care of this ever growing crowd. And yet segregation seems to be the only possible scheme by means of which we may hope to stop the growth of this class.

#### THE RANCH

I am sorry to report that the ranch is becoming almost useless. Every Spring brings its flood which covers our few fertile acres with its slum through which not even weeds will grow. We hauled more than 150 loads of manure from town this year, which has helped to keep the higher ground in good shape; but the low flat pieces are practically destroyed by the tailings from the Basin and Comet Mills. The foreman's report will show what he is doing.



#### Amusement Fund Receipts

NOVEMBER 1, 1916 TO NOVEMBER 1, 1917.

Nov. 17, Prize Fair .....	\$ 25.00
Dec. 10, Sale of afghan .....	6.22
Dec. 22, Cash, Mr. Thompson .....	3.35
Dec. 20, Cash, Masonic Lodge.....	10.00
Dec. 27, Mrs. Edens, Furniture, Shop.....	8.00
Dec. 27, Cash, Apples.....	1.65
Oct. 27, LEADER, Subscriptions.....	6.50
Nov. 1, Kitchen supplies .....	4.20
Nov. 1, F. M. Supplies.....	1.40
Nov. 30, Coal, Mr. Scott .....	10.00
Nov. 30, Pasturing horse, Rosa Hammer.....	6.00
Dec. 1, Ranch, Cream and Milk.....	2.00

Dec.	2, Kitchen supplies .....	4.05
Dec.	7, H. E. Thompson.....	6.61
Dec.	8, Mrs. E. E. Johnson .....	.50
1917.		
Jan.	1, Store room, Miss Sherman.....	2.30
Jan.	3, Cash proceeds-Sale .....	118.18
Jan.	5, Kitchen supplies .....	5.00
Jan.	15, Sewing room supplies.....	3.15
Jan.	15, 5 rugs, Mrs. Berkin.....	4.00
Jan.	16, Sale-proceeds .....	2.15
Jan.	24, Kitchen supplies .....	10.00
Feb.	17, Kitchen supplies .....	.50
Jan.	18, Kitchen supplies .....	10.00
Feb.	8, LEADER Subscriptions .....	1.50
Feb.	8, Printing office supplies.....	1.50
Feb.	8, LEADER Subscriptions .....	1.50
Mar. 23,	Print shop supplies .....	1.70
Mar. 26,	Leather .....	1.75
Mar. 31,	Shoe shop supplies .....	.50
Apr. 3,	Kitchen supplies .....	10.10
Apr. 6,	Store room supplies, Miss Sherman.....	6.50
Apr. 7,	Repair chairs .....	1.05
Apr. 9,	Carpenter shop supplies.....	1.10
Apr. 23,	Lumber-Foss .....	.75
Apr. 23,	Miss Sherman-Spread .....	1.25
Apr. 23,	Store room supplies, Mr. TenEyck.....	.25
Apr. 2,	Kitchen supplies.....	10.31
Apr. 3,	Store room supplies, Miss Sherman.....	2.40
Apr. 3,	Sales day, sale .....	2.00
May 15,	Sales, Miss McConnell.....	1.35
June 6,	Sales, store room .....	1.25
June 6,	Sales, Kitchen .....	8.30
July 24,	Coal, J. A. Menzemer .....	4.00
Aug. 11,	22 ft. pipe .....	2.50
Sept. 11,	Horse hide-buttermilk & milk .....	14.34
Aug. 4,	Cream and butter, J. H. Reynolds.....	21.77
Sept. 8,	Cream and butter, J. H. Reynolds.....	11.48
Sept. 7,	J. E. Wood, cash.....	5.00
Sept. 17,	J. E. Wood LEADER.....	.50
Sept. 24,	LEADER subscriptions .....	1.00
Oct. 3,	Store room sales .....	6.80
Oct. 3,	Store room-4½ yds. rug, Mrs. R. A. Hammer..	2.05
Sept. 12,	Shoe shining outfit.....	3.00
Sept. 16,	LEADER subscriptions .....	2.00
Sept. 16,	Prize-Fair .....	<u>25.00</u>
	Amount cash put in	\$412.06

## Expenses Drawn from Amusement Fund

NOVEMBER 1, 1916 TO NOVEMBER 1917.

Nov. 6, Films.....	\$ 6.00
Nov. 13, Films.....	6.00
Dec. 10, Express on films..	.60
Dec. 22, Xmas Presents .....	3.00
Dec. 22, Gold cord .....	.10
Dec. 10, Films & Express.....	6.85
<b>1917.</b>	
Jan. 2, Box of Candy-Prize.....	1.00
Jan. 11, Films.....	6.00
Jan. 11, Xmas Presents .....	3.45
Jan. 11, 4 ties for Xmas.....	2.60
Jan. 11, Repairing desk.....	.50
Feb. 17, Hdks. prize.....	.50
Feb. 17, 3 watches, Xmas, F. M. Boys.....	3.75
Mar. 12, Films .....	5.00
Feb. 5, Films.....	6.00
Feb. 9, Films N. A. D.....	5.00
Feb. 20, Films.....	6.00
Mar. 3, Flowers.....	1.50
Mar. 2, Films, "Prudence the Pirate" .....	15.00
Jan. 26, Films.....	6.00
Mar. 8, Films .....	6.00
Mar. 23, Films.....	6.00
Apr. 5, Films.....	6.00
Apr. 15, Films.....	6.00
May 4, Films.....	6.00
May 17, Films.....	5.00
May 30, Films .....	6.00
June 9, Films.....	6.00
Sept. Films .....	6.00
Oct. 15, Films .....	5.00
Oct. 17, Repair Watch, Roy Mizer.....	.75
Nov. 4, Films.....	5.00

Total amount drawn out \$148.60

The value of the land and property belonging to the school may be summed up as follows:

Lands and buildings	\$282,213.77
Improvements	12,373.05
Loses	2,630.00

#### LANDS AND BUILDINGS

Building A (Main)	\$45,000.00
" B (Addition to A)	32,900.00
" C Manual Training	24,500.00
" D Power House & Laundry	9,000.00
" E Barn and Sheds	1,500.00
" G Girls' Hall	42,500.00
" T Old Carpenter Shop	300.00
" H Hospital	15,000.00
" I Dairy Barn	3,200.00
* " J Old Barn	
* " R Ranch House	
* " S New Horse Barn	
* " T Refregerating Plant	
* " Slaughter House	

\* Value of these buildings included in 420 acres of land.

Building Dormitory Ranch	\$10,026.30
" Spur	2,346.75
" F. New Bldg. Children	87,230.77
Old Bridge, Boulder river	2,630.00
420 Acres Land-Ranch	18,453.00

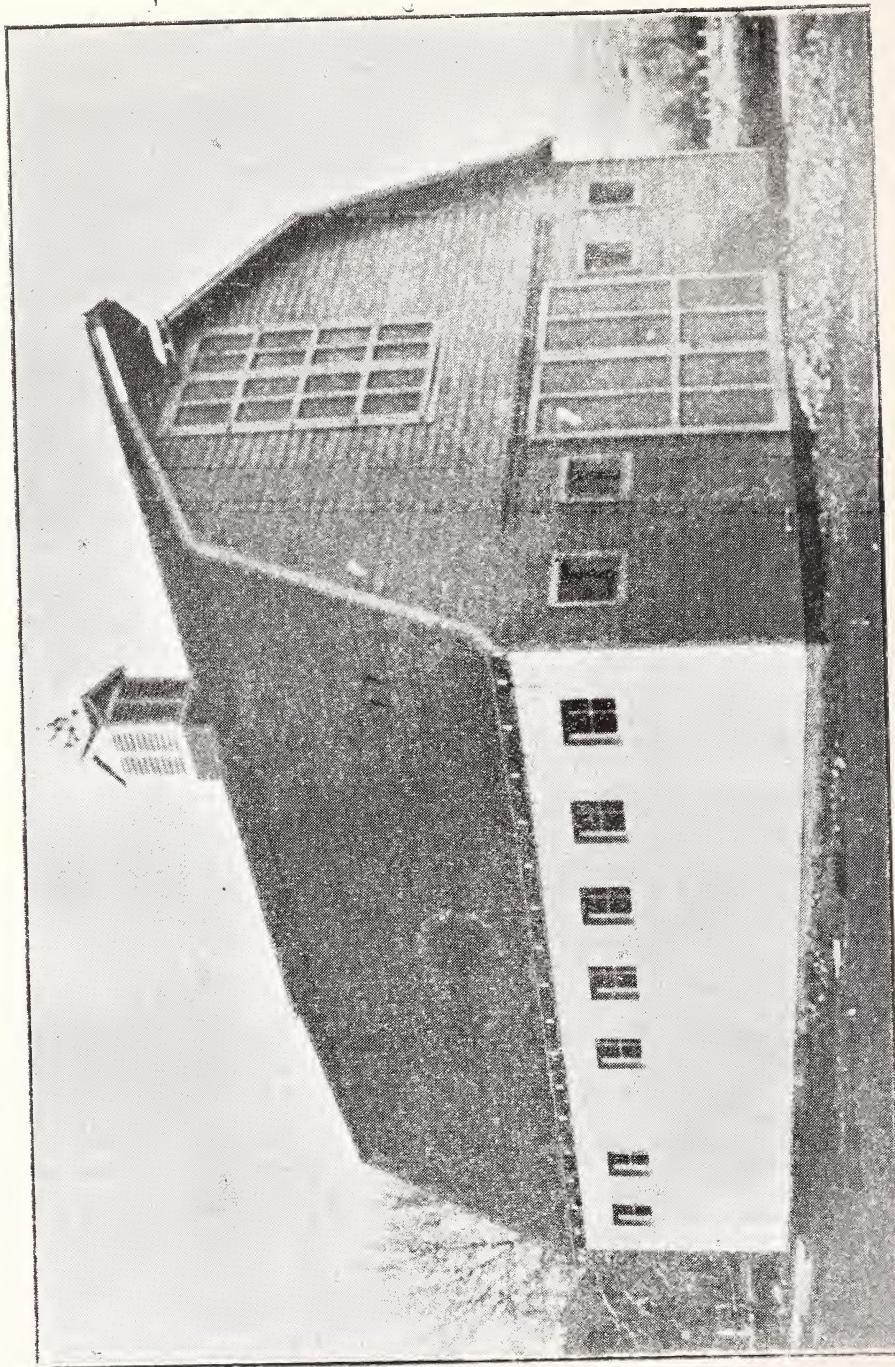
Above are the estimates of Messrs. Milligan and Menzemer except F. Old Bridge, Dormitory-Ranch and Spur which are actual.

#### EQUIPMENT

##### FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT:

A. Building	\$5,630.00
B. "	4,525.00
C. "	1,875.00
D. "	1,337.50
E. "	187.50
F. "	10,000.00
G. "	1,225.00
J. "	75.00
R. "	262.50
Farm Machinery and Sheds	515.00
Water Works System	6,000.00
Water Works at Ranch	2,800.00
Laundry	5,761.05





HORSE BARN

Coal Scales	100.00
Concrete Mixer	290.00
Motor-Ranch	126.30
Separator	187.32
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	\$41,084.67

## Estimates of Mr. Menzemer

## LIVE STOCK

23 head of horses	\$2,925.00
79 head of cattle	5,215.00
61 head of hogs	1,260.00
Poultry	340.00
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	\$9,740.00

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Balance on hand, November 1, 1916	\$ 17,005.75
Amount Appropriated, December 1, 1916	25,000.00
Amount of Appropriation, March 1, 1917	102,500.00
Misc. Cash receipts	3,048.95
Money not released	\$12,581.33
Salaries and Wages	40,780.82
Food Supplies	19,411.04
Dry Goods	274.95
Fuel and Light	6,780.25
Household Supplies and Furniture	1,878.13
Gymnasium Apparatus and Library	101.31
Garden and Farm	2,428.95
School and Industrial Supplies	3,183.38
Freight, Express, Travel and Telephone	3,253.22
Insurance	545.47
Improvements:	
Dormitory, F. M.	890.00
Root Cellar	256.10
Bridge	2,502.49
Separator	187.32
Motor	126.30
Auto.	1,080.95
Concrete Mixer	290.00
Repairs and Replacements	4,135.83
State Treasurer	43,817.91
Bank of Boulder	3,048.95
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	\$147,554.70 \$147,554.70

In conclusion we desire to express our gratitude to this Board for their uniform kindness and for the confidences

expressed in us.

Also we wish to thank the many kind friends who have helped us with encouragement and support.

Respectfully Submitted,

*President.*



## STATE RANCH REPORT

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President.*

I herewith have the honor to submit my report for the year 1916-1917.

### PRODUCE FROM RANCH

18 tons	aalfalfa.....	\$ 360.00
300 lbs.	apples .....	22.50
416 lbs.	beef.....	62.40
500 lbs.	beets .....	25.00
700 lbs.	beans .....	140.00
360 lbs.	chickens.....	90.00
6000 lbs.	cabbages .....	300.00
1000 lbs.	carrots .....	50.00
600 lbs.	cauliflower.....	30.00
616 doz.	eggs .....	308.00
<b>24</b> tons	timothy .....	576.00
196 bu.	barley .....	196.00
28 tons	wild hay .....	476.00
24 lbs.	horseradish.....	2.40
700 lbs.	lettuce .....	35.00
10 tons	mangles.....	150.00

30,388 gal.	milk .....	7597.00
60 bu.	oats .....	60.00
500 bu.	onions (green) .....	25.00
500 bu.	onions (dry) .....	25.00
80,000 lbs.	potatoes.....	1600.00
477 lbs.	butter .....	190.80
200 lbs.	parsley .....	6.00
500 lbs.	peas (garden) .....	100.00
2000 lbs.	pork.....	300.00
1000 lbs.	radishes .....	5.00
12 tons	rutabaga .....	150.00
2 tons	sugar beets.....	25.00
2450 lbs.	sour kraut .....	171.50
2 tons	turnips .....	24.00
40 bu.	wheat.....	<u>140.00</u>
		13,242.60

## STOCK ON HAND (HORSES)

1 black mare (7 years old) .....	\$ 250.00
1 roan mare (8 years old) .....	175.00
1 bay mare (8 years old) .....	250.00
1 bay mare (12 years old) ... .	75.00
1 bay gelding (12 years oid) .....	100.00
1 black gelding (6 years old).....	150.00
2 black mares (5 years old).....	450.00
1 roan mare (18 years old) .....	50.00
2 saddle horses (9 and 10 years) .....	150.00
2 bay geldings .....	250.00
1 colt (1 year old) ... .	75.00
3 colts (3 years old) .....	375.00
2 colts (4 years old) ... .	275.00
4 spring colts.....	<u>300.00</u>
	\$2,925.00

## HOGS

50	spring pigs	\$900.00
9	sows	270.00
2	registered boars	90.00
		\$1,260.00

## POULTRY ON HAND

360	chickens	\$270.00
20	turkeys	60.00
4	geese	10.00
		<u>\$340.00</u>

## CATTLE

1	bull	\$ 125.00
30	holstein cows	3,000.00
2	range cows	120.00
13	steers	520.00
9	heifers	675.00
6	heifers	300.00
20	calves	700.00
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		\$5,215.00

## EXPENSES OF RANCH

Household Supplies	\$1,377.81
Feed, Bran & Shorts	4,630.38
Salaries	3,070.00
Miscellaneous	734.03
Machinery	253.70
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	\$10,065.92

## TOTAL INCOME FROM RANCH

Value from Farm Produce	\$13,242.60
Cash for Horse	250.00
Cash for Produce	57.96
Board Collected, County Charges	360.00
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	\$13,910.56
Total Expenses of Ranch	10,065.92
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	\$3,844.64

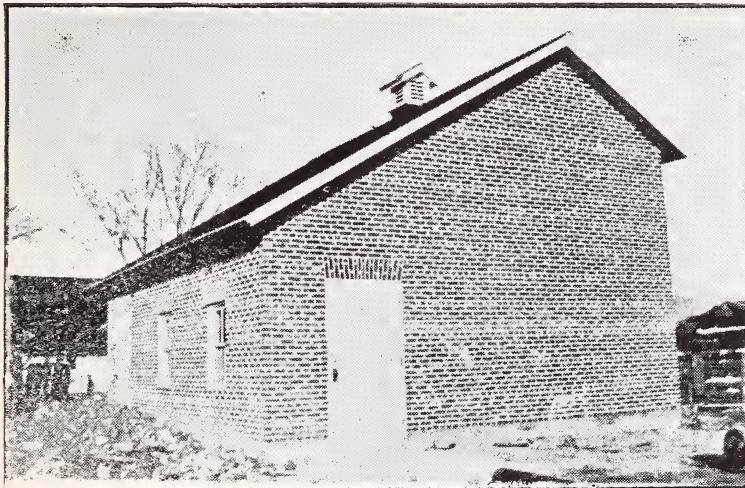
We have cribbed up an irrigating ditch with stone and leveled about 200 feet of ground along side the ditch. We hauled about 75 yards of gravel for the cement to be used for the pressure tank, the root cellar and the new bridge. We made a lane through the field by grading it up with gravel so the stock will be able to pass through in soft weather. We built about a half mile of fence and hauled 2,000 feet of lumber from the Saw Mill.

We cut about 20 acres of hay or shares on the Hammer Ranch and got probably 75 tons of hay to help supply feed for the cattle for the winter. We dug nine acres of potatoes about the town with our potato digger--the town people giving us a credit for the digging. We did this as an accomodation to the town people.

We have one new gate made and have just about finished building another.



RANCH HOUSE WITH NEW DORMITORY ADDITION



REFRIGERATING PLANT



We have moved a chicken house into the chicken yard and use it for the setting hens.

We lost about 10 acres of our crop from irrigating with the water of the Boulder River. The slum from the Basin and Comet mills poison the water to the extent that all vegetation dies on the land that is irrigated with this water.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK DEAN, *Ranch Foreman.*



## PHYSICIANS' REPORT

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President:-*

We herewith submit the following medical report for the year ending, November 1, 1917.

During the year there were admitted to the Hospital for treatment 109 cases, 27 of this number were measles, the balance of the cases were from miner ailments such as LaGrippe, etc.

During the Fall two twin boys, who were troubled with hernia, were operated upon and have recovered nicely. At the same time, some spurious growths were removed from two other pupils and these, too, have completely recovered. All four feel very glad that the work has been done.

There were no deaths during the year.

At the present time there are numerous cases of scarlet fever and smallpox in Montana. We recommend that you allow no visitors to the Schools, until such time as the State Board of Health reports that Butte and Helena are free from epidemics, and urge the students and employees not to do any traveling Thanksgiving time but to remain at the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. D. E. RAINVILLE,  
DR. I. A. LEIGHTON.

## OCULIST'S AND AURIST'S REPORT

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President*:-

I hereby submit the report in this department for the past year. The following operations were preformed, and I am glad to report that in every case the patient made a nice recovery with no bad results.

Adenoids	13
Tonsils	11
Refraction and glasses supplied	12
General examinations made	84

Besides the above there were, of course, many casual examinations and treatments not recorded.

I wish take this opportunity to express my appreciation of the services of the nurse, to whose careful attention the ultimate success of the operations preformed is largely due.

Repectfully submitted,

JNO. A. DONOVAN.

## DENTIST'S REPORT

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President*:-

I herewith have the honor to submit my report as dental surgeon for the Montana School for Deaf and Blind for the year 1916-1917.

During the year I put in 60 fillings, extracted, 25 teeth and treated 41. All pupils have been carefully examined, and at the close of the school year, all their teeth were in good shape.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. C. M. EDDY.

## Hammock and Chair Caning Shop Report

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President*:-

As most all of our boys are very small, we have been able to do but little shop work during the past year.

Patsy Callahan, George Ellis and Henry Russell have made





seven hammocks and caned six chairs. These three and some of the smaller boys would like very much to be caning chairs, but it is difficult to find chairs that have had cane bottoms.

Respectfully submitted,

ADAMS MORRIS.



### **Report of the Music Department**

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President*: -

I have the honor to submit the following report for the year 1916-1917.

17 piano pupils, 3 violin pupils, three voice pupils, and four piano tuning pupils.

For the past year, I have taken each pupil every day and have found that the results are greater so doing, especially true of the younger pupils, who are in the majority at present.

We have been unable to do any orchestra work this past year, due to the fact that the greater part of our pupils are in the beginner's stage. However, we did some trio work last spring with the strings we had.

The pupils had the advantage of appearing in recital or other programs during the year, which gives them poise and self-assurance in appearing before the public.

Respectfully submitted,

AGNES HAUGAN, *Director*.



### **SEWING ROOM REPORT**

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President*: -

I herewith have the honor to submit the following report for the year-November 15, 1916 to November 20, 1917.

#### **ARTICLES MADE**

5½ dozen sheets	11 middies
5 dozen pillow cases	½ dozen corset covers
7 dozen towels	4 bungalow aprons

4	dress skirts	12	sewing aprons
15	serge gym. bloomers	18	work aprons
6	cook caps	2	gingham dresses
10	witches costumes	10	dinner napkins
12	blinkers	4	dozen wash rags
1	ladies' waist		

## ALTERATIONS

25	ready made garments	2	gingdresses
48	bed spreads	4	gingham dresses
10	wool skirts	38	dresses, faced

## AVERAGE MENDING DONE WEEKLY

70	pairs stockings and socks
100	pieces of other clothing

## FANCY ARTICLES MADE

14	pillow tops	1	dressing sacque
20	dresser scarfs	3	shampoo jackets
1	dresser set	3	fancy bags
1	smocked nightengale	4	pairs pillow cases
15	dinner napkins, hemmed	2	emb. corset covers
4	bath towels	1	medicine dose indicator
1	infants' nightengale	1	hair receiver
1	infants' petticoat	1	infant's bib
6	pairs infants' shoes		

War conditions have changed our plans for our Annual December Sale, but we will continue to prepare articles for a sale at some future date.

Our little girls are now greatly interested in outling nursery figures on blocks for a quilt, and aside from being anxious for the sewing period are doing some very nice work.

With very few exceptions all the girls show an interest and willingness to learn.

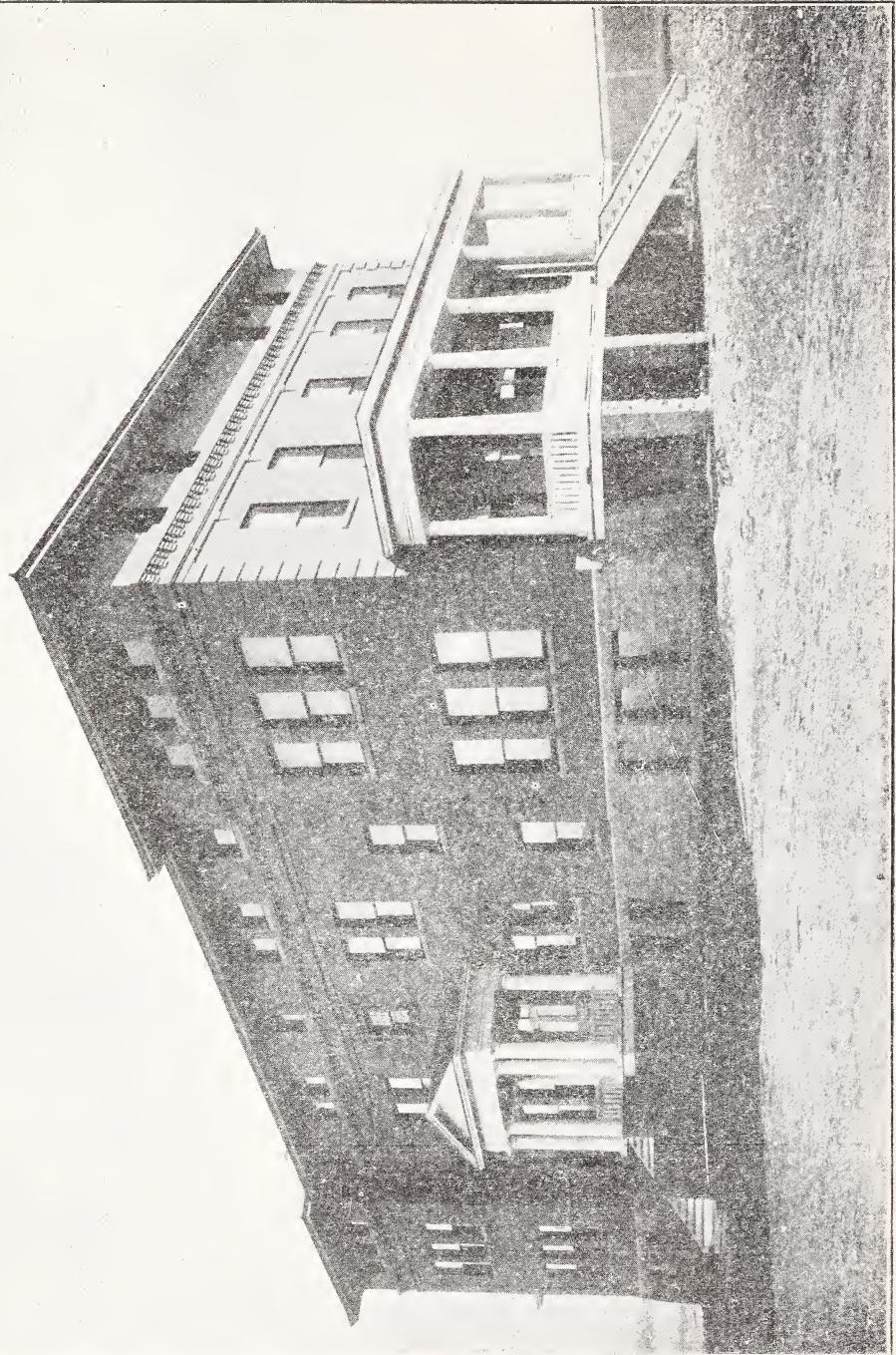
One class of girls sew with Mrs. Low and assist her with the boys' mending and do their own mending.

The girls have recently become interested in knitting, with the kind assistance of the lady teachers and officers have done some work for the American Red Cross Society on Saturday afternoons. We hope to be able to add a few knitted articles to our collection of fancy work.

Respectfully submitted,

EDNA C. BARTLEY, *Teacher of Sewing.*





GIRL'S HALL

## Carpenter Shop Report

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President*:-

I herewith have the honor to submit my report for the carpenter shop for the year ending November 31, 1917.

### NEW ARTICLES MADE

2	tables for children	1	paper knife
1	Library table	1	magazine table
1	tabouret	1	blacking stool
2	book racks	1	tie rack
1	book case	2	doors for gymnasium
2	reaches for wagon	1	door framing
92	new shades were put up in the Girls' Hall]		

### REPAIRS

15	locks, repaired	8	patches on ceilings and walls]
12	glazed glasses in windows		
4	rocking chairs	72	desks screwed on the floor
24	chairs	4	trunks
15	shades		

We made many small repairs which are too numerous to mention.

### PAINTING

3,600	sq. feet of walls and ceilings in the Girls' Hall.
30,000	sq. feet of walls and ceilings in the Main Building.
1,400	sq. feet of walls and ceilings in the Servant's Cottage.
15,000	sq. feet of walls and ceilings in the F. M. Building.
1,500	sq. feet on the two tunnels.
3,500	sq. feet on the floors in the Main Building.

Stained many new articles.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED J. LOW.

## PRINTING OFFICE REPORT

TO H. J. MENZEMER, *President:-*

I have the honor to herewith submit the following report for the year 1916-1917.

The following jobs were turned out in the printing office.

Affidavit blanks.....	1,000
Annual report, 35 pages, 12 pictures, with cover for each and binding .....	500
Application blanks, 4 pages each .....	500
The ROCKY MOUNTAIN LEADER, Christmas number, 28 pages and 12 pictures with cover printed in two colors for each and binding .....	600
Copies of the LEADER, 16 to 20 pages.....	4,010
Daily attendance cards .....	125
Hospital Record blanks.....	500
Insurance policies.....	100
Labeled, Business envelopes .....	2,500
Labeled, envelopes, coin.....	7,575
Labeled, large envelopes for the LEADER and Annual Report .....	5,500
Library loan slips.....	1,500
Laundry lists .....	5,500
Made, desk blotter mats .....	2
Mailing lists.....	75
Notices of the closing of school.....	150
Notices of the opening of school.....	200
Office slips .....	650
Posters, basket ball games, entertainments, and etc.....	200
Personal receipt blanks, printed and perforated .....	1,000
Post cards, picture of the Main Building .....	1,000
Postal cards, printed form for the office .....	475
Programmes.....	650
Printed, envelopes, coins .....	500
Printed, placards, notice of the closing exercises.....	16
Report cards for the school rooms .....	1,000
Requisition blanks, printed and perforated	
125 orginal	
125 duplicate	
125 triplication	375
Year Book, consisting of 20 pages, with cover for each and binding .....	100

Respectfully submitted,

E. V. KEMP, *Instructor.*

## Report of Department for Backward Children

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President*:

I have the honor to submit herewith the twenty-third annual report for the department for Backward Children.

The health of the inmates has been exceedingly good. During the period there have been no epidemics. There have been cases of such sickness as is usually found among this class of children.

Our professional consultants have responded promptly to calls for treatment of our children suffering with cutaneous diseases to which this class of children are prone, as, also, those of the eye, ear, nose and throat; and a goodly number have been greatly benefited by the correction of these physical defects.

As in time past we have had to decline a number of applications on account of advanced age, insane complications and moral delinquency.

Admission of such cases would necessitate an outlining of new plans of separation, involving additional outlay in both buildings and service, for which, at the present period, we are entirely unprepared. We hope within a year, by the aid of our prospective new building, to, in a small way, meet this great demand. However, owing to the great number upon our waiting list this will only be a few drops in the pail toward filling the great demand upon the institution.

Quite a number of our children have made regular visits to our dentists, a few extractions have been made—but the greater percent have had their teeth treated and filled, and the mouth cleansed. Many take rather unusual pride in the care and preservation of their teeth.

Our farm colony has relieved the school division of a limited number who have passed the school period. The institution has, and is at the present, taxed and burdened with the care of quite a few epileptics and insane cases for which we have no place. We have no place for these cases, however mild a type, be it merely mental confusion or senile dementia, nor have we a place for imbecile delinquents, our methods being entirely too mild for their control. A very of these cases are at the present in contact with our child training, and are a continual and endless annoyance, thereby materially hindering and interfering with our legitimate school work.

Our methods along scholastic lines have been productive of excellent results. But the best results have been attained thru the hand, consequently in all grades, we have subordinated the purely mental training to practical hand work. Ample opportunity has been given for developing any talent in any special line, be it in art, music or in hands-craft leading to the trades.

The kitchen and dinning room forces have worked in accord, and all housekeeping has been done by our children—supervised and directed by the officer in charge working gladly under the direction of the Girls' Supervisor, Assistant and Boys' Supervisor, who had them—whereas with strangers they would accomplish nothing.

Diversion and amusement, necessary features of our training, have included dances, and moving pictures. Boulder day was enjoyed by both children, officers and the teachers, as was also the distribution of prizes for all who helped in cleaning the campus of boulders.

Hallowe'en closed October with its merry festivities.

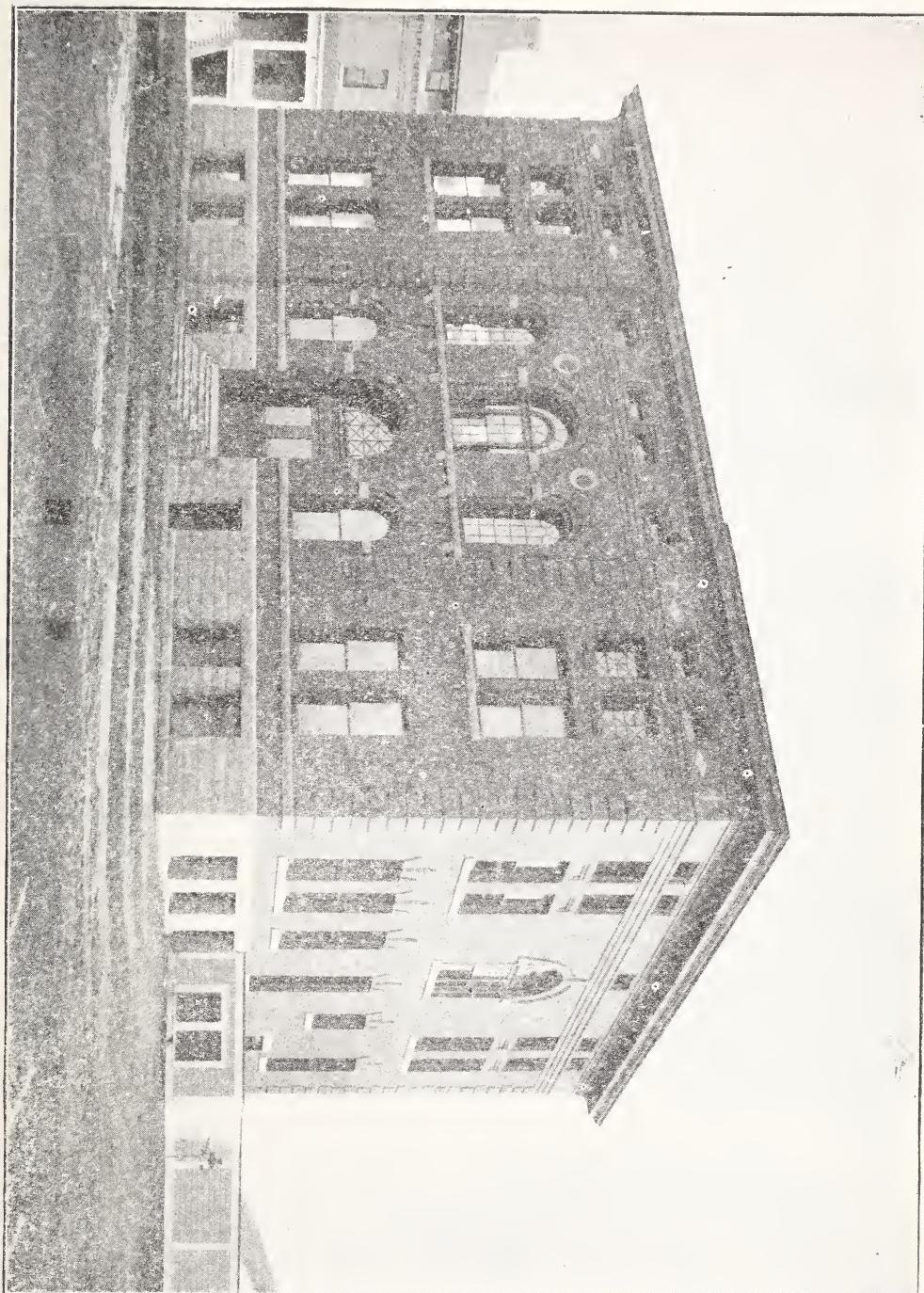
Thanksgiving feast was observed. Drama work given by the children and teachers enlivened the winter. Also birthday parties and St. Valentine's day bringing tokens of remembrance to all. Easter had its carols and merry making. June brought our closing day, and a crowd of admirers of our exhibit of the year's work as testified in the substantial amount realized in the bazaar and the large audience to witness our closing exercises.

I am under obligations to all the officers and teachers for their untiring efforts to promote the interests of the School and the welfare of all concerned.

In fine, I desire to thank any who have extended courtesies to me personally, and to add that I fully appreciate the advice and support accorded me at all times in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS A. SMITH, *Director.*



INDUSTRIAL BUILDING AND GYMNASIUM



## SEWING ROOM REPORT

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President*:-

The following are the articles made in the sewing room from November, 1916 to November, 1917:

110	sheets	36	scrim curtains
98	pillow cases	4	doz. tea towels
60	roller towels	10	table cloths
60	bath towels	24	napkins
16	table cloths	4	doz. tea cloths

Respectfully submitted,

MOLLIE SLACK, *Girls' Supervisor.*

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## ENGINEER'S REPORT

To H. J. MENZEMER, *President*:-

Since my last report the work of this department consists of a general overhauling of the whole plant.

We removed about 300 feet of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. hot water pipe between the laundry and the F. M. Building. This hot water pipe has to be removed every two or three years because of the corrosive action of the hot water. I would recommend a brass pipe for this service. I would also recommend the extension of the drainage tile up to the Feeble Minded building. This would prevent the steam main to that building from being flooded every spring.

We have in course of construction about 2,000 feet of lighting circuit laid under ground in  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. conduit to light the grounds around the Power House and F. M. Building. The new Vacuum pump installed during vacation is a fine machine and is doing good work. We are very much in need of a deep well pumping engine. It seems that the water in the well goes lower each year. The well had to be sunk five feet last term, and a steam pump put in. For water used for domestic purposes a steam pump in the well is not a desirable thing.

We also had to renew  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. extra heavy blow pipes from boilers after four years service.

The new bridge is completed and looks to be a solid structure. We already have the water and electric lines across it, and waiting a favorable opportunity to put in the main steam and returns

across there.

The coal we are receiving this year is good clean coal, but don't give the best results with forced draft. Boilers were inspected and pronounced in good shape.

We did the usual painting and repairs in power house and dozens of little jobs too numerous to mention.

Respectfully submitted,

V. J. MCKINNON, *First Engineer.*

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## Regulations Concerning Admission and Retention of Pupils, etc.

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### School for Deaf and Blind

1. The Montana School for the Deaf and the Blind is open to all the deaf and the blind children of the state, between the ages of 6 and 21 who are too deaf or too blind to be educated in the common schools.

2. No child who is idiotic, or afflicted with an offensive or contagious disease, or who is an invalid so confirmed as to prevent study will be received.

3. The institution is in no sense an asylum, nor a place of refuge for those who cannot see or hear. It is not an almshouse, an orphan's home or a hospital. It is conducted strictly as an educational institution and is a part of the common school system of the state wherein those who are deaf or blind may receive an education as a matter of right and not of charity.

4. Application for the admission of pupils must be made upon regular blanks of the institution which will be furnished upon request. All questions upon these blanks must be answered in full.

5. No child will be admitted unless he bring a certificate from a regular physician, stating that there has been no communicable disease in the neighborhood from which the child

comes, and that he has not been exposed to such disease, within a period of fourteen (14) days. This is to protect us from epidemics.

6. No child should be brought to school as a pupil until the proper application has been filed with, and acted upon by the President and due notice sent by him to the applicant. In the case of indigent pupils, dependent upon county aid, an order of court to that effect as provided by the law (Section 1170) must be filed with the President before the admission of such pupils.

Section 1170 reads as follow:—"In all cases where a person to be sent to said school is too poor to pay for necessary clothing and transportation, the Judge of the District Court of the district where such person resides upon application of any relative or friend, or any officer of the county where said person resides, shall, if he deem the person a proper subject, make an order to that effect, which shall be certified by the Clerk of the Court to the President of said school, who should then provide the necessary clothing and transportation at the expense of the county, and upon his rendering his proper accounts therefor quarter annually, the County Commissioners shall allow and pay the same out of the county treasury."

7. The institution will provide for each pupil regularly admitted, board, lodging, laundry, medical attendance, instruction and school supplies, but cannot pay traveling expenses to and from the school or for any clothing. Each pupil upon entering school should be supplied with a sufficient quantity of suitable clothing to last until the close of the school term. The pupil's name should be clearly marked upon each article of clothing, as otherwise, there is liability of loss.

8. Parents must furnish postage in all cases and may hear from their children in proportion to the amount furnished. The session lasts about forty weeks. Parents sending us fifty (50 cents) may hear from their children once a week, ten letters and twenty-five postals. Those who do not furnish postage will hear once a month when the monthly report of the pupils' standing in school is sent home, except in case of illness when a report is made daily until the child is out of danger.

9. A contingent fee of \$10 should be deposited in every case to purchase such articles as clothing, shoes, etc., likely to be needed during the session. A strict account will be kept of all expenditures and an itemized statement made at close of the school year. Clothing and shoes may be sent from home or purchased by us here; but nothing will be furnished without the

cash beforehand except in the case of county pupils.

10. The annual session of school begins the second Wednesday in September and closes the second Wednesday in June. No extended holiday will be given at Christmas, and pupils are not allowed to go home unless there are excellent reasons and conditions justifying special permission. Promptness of attendance at the beginning of the session is of the greatest importance.

11. The President shall have power at any time to discharge a pupil from the institution for inability to receive instruction, from sickness or other cause or for continued misconduct and disobedience.

12. The institution is non-sectarian, but thoroughly moral, and religious instruction will be given, especially on the Sabbath the nature of it being so general, that it is accepted by all churches and creeds.

13. All business letters of inquiry in regard to pupils or their concerns, or in regard to new pupils must be addressed to the President and not to subordinates, otherwise no attention will be paid to such letters. All money should be sent by express, money order or registered letter directly to the President who will acknowledge receipt of same.

14. In the industrial department after a pupil has been assigned a trade to learn such pupil cannot change to another trade unless in the judgement of the President the change would be to the best interests of the pupil.

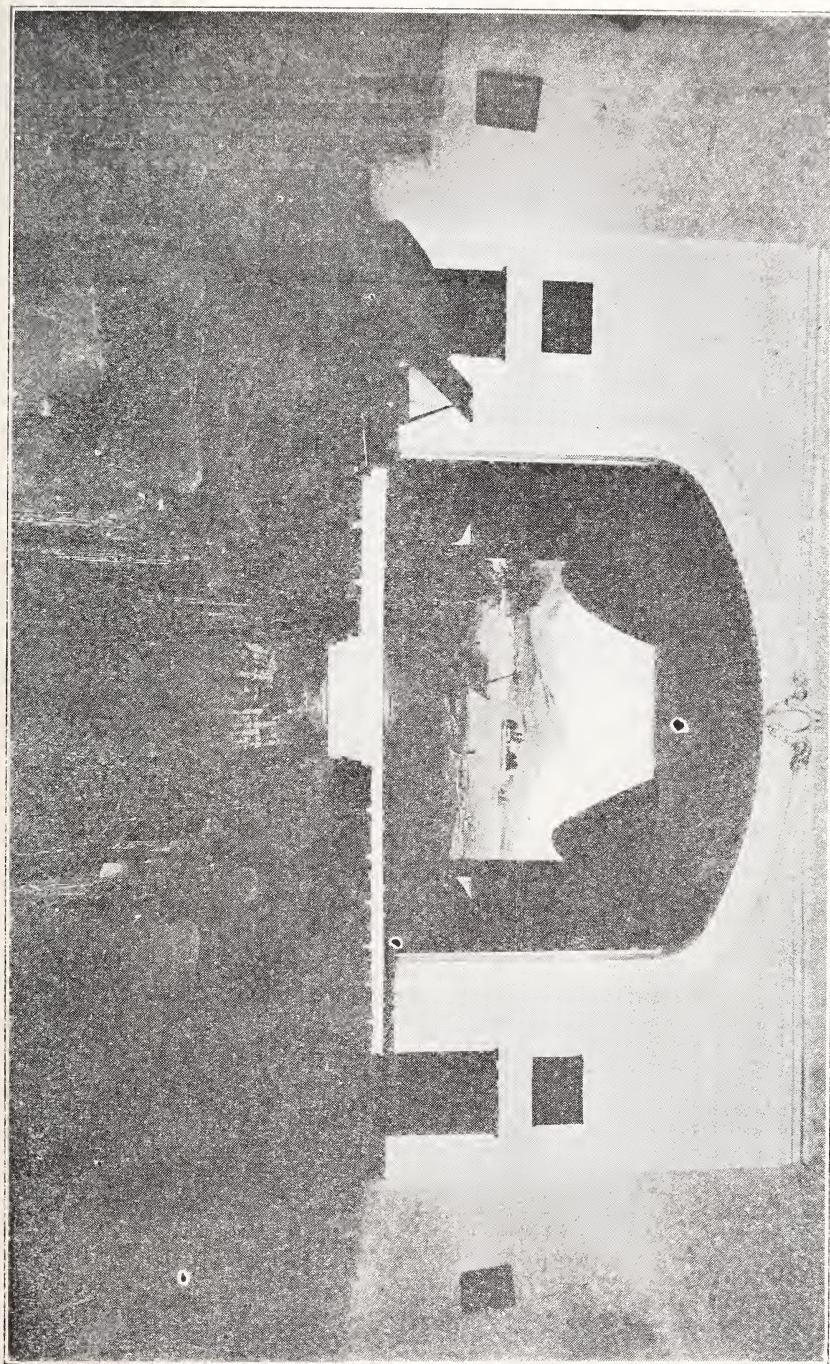
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### **Montana Training School for Backward Children**

This school opened Nov. 10, 1895 in the town of Boulder. It is under the same management as the School for the Deaf and the Blind but occupies a separate building of its own.

Its object is to furnish SPECIAL means of improvement to that portion of our youth who are so deficient in mind, or have such marked peculiarities and eccentricities of intellect as to deprive them of the benefits of other educational institutions and ordinary methods of instruction.

The education proposed will not only include the simple elements of instruction taught in common schools, where that is possible but will embrace a course of training in the more practical matters of every-day life, the cultivation of habits of cleanliness,





propriety, self-reliance and the development and enlargement of a capacity for useful work. To promote these objects, pupils will receive such physical education, and such moral and hygenic treatment as their peculiar and varied conditions demand.

Mental imbecility depends upon some abnormal or imperfectly developed condition of the physical system, a condition in which the nervous organization is especially defective—preventing the harmonious and natural development of the mental powers.

The feeble-minded are generally feeble in body as well as mind. They are wanting in muscular and nervous power, the gait and voluntary movements are generally awkward and slow, and the special senses undeveloped or inactive. Physical training and physical development will, therefore, be essential to permanent mental improvement, and hence the importance of gymnastic and calisthenic exercise in treatment. The reciprocal influence of the body over the mind, and the mind over the body must be carefully studied and applied. The dormant energies of the body must be roused to action by every possible means. The wayward muscles are to be taught to move in obedience to the dim spark of will that may exist. The will must be strengthened and developed. The very feeble power of attention must be cultivated and increased by the most active means. The affections must be nursed, the special senses trained and educated, vicious habits are to be corrected, and the idea of obedience and moral obligation must be planted and nourished.

Some children who are merely backward and remain undeveloped from being misunderstood, neglected or abused, can, by special means, be brought out and reclaimed. Others can be arrested on their downward course, and made orderly, obedient, affectionate, docile and industrious: and nearly all can be materially improved in their general condition and habits. But in order to secure the realization of these blessings to this afflicted class, they must have the special care, treatment and instruction which cannot be obtained in the family at home, or private medical practice or by any of the ordinary methods of instruction, but only in some well-directed institution, arranged, furnished and organized for the accomplishment of these objects.

### **Admission of Pupils, etc.**

Children between the ages of six and twenty-one who are so peculiar or deficient in intellect as to be incapable of being educated at any ordinary school, and who are not **epileptic** or greatly deformed, may be admitted. As the State has made no provision

as yet for a custodial institution we cannot keep those children who, after through trial, show no improvement.

The parents or friends of those in whose behalf applications are made for admission as pupils, are expected to make answers in writing to such questions the President may prescribe.

No child will be admitted unless he bring a certificate from a regular physician, stating that there has been no communicable disease in the neighborhood from which the child comes and that he has not been exposed to such disease, within a period of fourteen (14) days. This is to protect us from epidemics.

The buildings are commodious and in a healthy and accessible location. The school is in charge of officers and teachers who have had years of experience in the instruction, training and management of this class of children. An atmosphere of kindness, patience and consideration surrounds the children and we find that good discipline can be maintained in this way.

Corporal punishment is strictly forbidden except in extreme cases and then it is must be inflicted in the presence of the President.

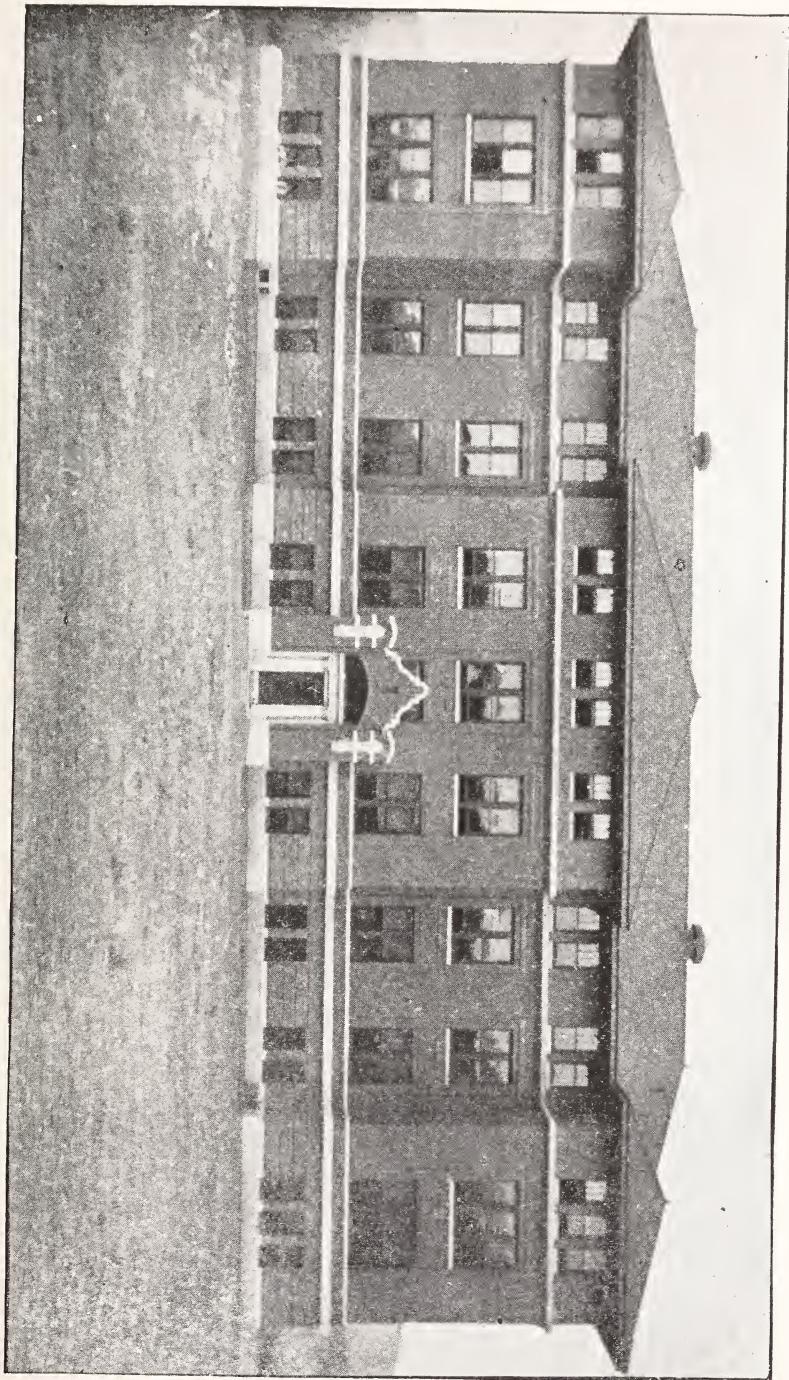
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The institution will provide for each pupil regularly admitted, board, lodging, laundry, medical attendance, institution and school supplies, but cannot pay traveling expenses to or from the school or for any clothing. Each pupil upon entering should be supplied with a sufficient quantity of suitable clothing to last until the close of the school term. If the pupil be of unfortunate or untidy habits a double supply of clothing must be provided. A bond will be required in all cases to insure the clothing and the removal of the pupil, when required by the President.

There will be a vacation during the months of June, July, and August, unless otherwise directed by the Board, and at which periods all pupils must be removed by the parents or guardians unless otherwise directed by the President.

Applications for the admission of pupils and all other general correspondence, should be directed to

H. J. MENZEMER, *President,*  
School for the Deaf, Blind and Backward Children,  
Boulder, Montana



DEPARTMENT FOR BACKWARD CHILDREN



# Pupils in School

From November 1st, 1916 to November 1st, 1917.

## Deaf Department

NAME	POST OFFICE	CAUSE
Altop, Clarence	Columbus	Accident
Aho, Lillian	Butte	Unknown
Askew, Frances	Butte	Unknown
Baumgartner, Robert	Columbus	Adenoids
Barker, Henry	Butte	Typhoid Pneu-
Blackman, Thelma	Bozeman	Congenital [monia
Bladow, Lena	Bainville	Sickness
Brandt, Harold	Carter	Tonsolistis
Bright, Frank	Hamilton	Measles
Bubnash, Mary	Great Falls	Fall
Budech, Sophia	Butte	Measles
Burns, Oliver	Great Falls	Unknown
Burns, William	Great Falls	Measles
Cashman, Nora	Glendive	Congenital
Castellano, Bert	Butte	Scarlet Fever
Chrisman, Lubi	Roundup	Fall
Constance, Clarence	Vida	Whooping Cough
Crisp, Amos	Miles City	Measles
Davies, Elsie	Butte	Congenital
Dengel, Beulah	Grass Range	Unknown
Drinville, George	Corbin	Scarlet Fever
Edens, Rufus	Townsend	Croup
Ferwerda, Thys	Somers	Congenital
Goldizen, Olive	Kalispell	Scarlet Fever
Goldizen, Vere	Kalispell	Scarlet Fever
Haynie, Agnes	Custer	Fever
Holtz, William	Billings	Sickness
Jackson, Richard	Missoula	Congenital
Janzen, Lydia	Dodson	Unknown
Jones, Jessie	Wibaux	Unknown
Johnson, Helen	Alberton	Scarlet Fever
Kirchbaum, Joseph	Chester	Scarlet Fever
Maloue, C. Estel	Dillon	Meningitis
McCaughan, Jennie	Roundup	Congenital
McCoy, Mary	Twin Bridges	Pneumonia
McDowell, Ruby	Genou	Meningitis
McPherson, Bessie	Butte	Congenital
McMuany, Lyle	Casady	Unknown
Niskerson, Evelyn	Three Forks	Scarlet Fever
Nickerson, Fay	Three Forks	Scarlet Fever
Norton, Andrew	Castle Rock	Brain Fever
Novogoski, Otta	Great Falls	Congenital

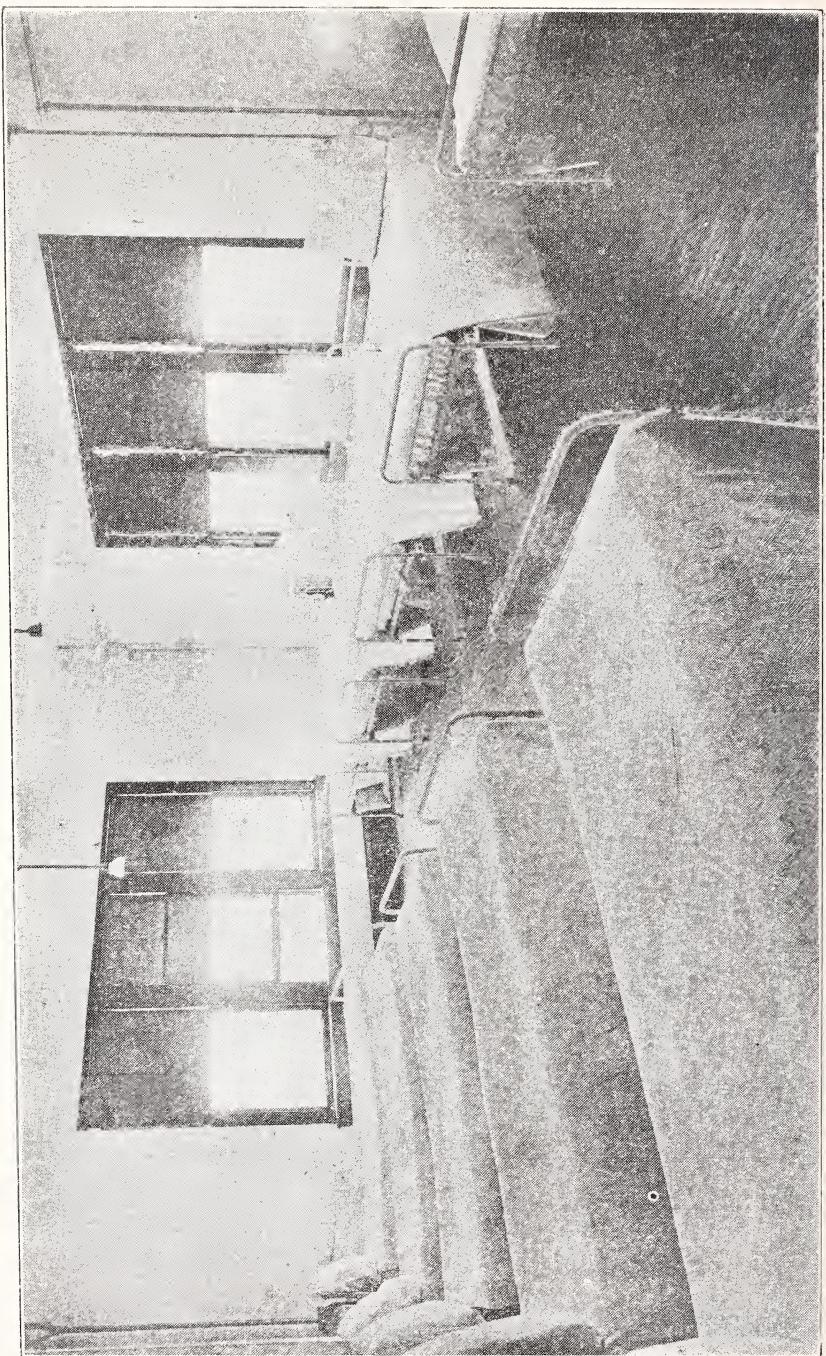
O'Donnell, Arthur	Helena	Brain Fever
Olbu, Ole	Missoula	Unknown
Olson, Effie	Antelope	Meningitis
Patrick, Fred	Cardwell	LaGrippe
Patrick, Henry	Cardwell	LaGrippe
Patrick, Chester	Cardwell	Whooping Cough
Pearce, Janie	Butte	Congenital
Pierce, Annie	Butte	Meningitis
Post, Floyd	Castle Rock	Unknown
Randles, Archie	Stevensville	Scrofula
Redmond, Fay	Choteau	Cleft Palate
Remington, Robert	Arlee	Adenoids
Renberg, Fern	Bozeman	Measles
Ross, Marguerite	Missoula	Congenital
Sayers, Mary Anna	Medicine Lake	Whooping Cough
Sieler, Edwin	Plevna	Scarlet Fever
Shilling, Anita	Butte	Whooping Cough
Smidt, Gertrude	Barley	Throat Trouble
Spring, Tom Big	Glacier Park	Unknown
Trask, Roberta	Bozeman	Sickness
Twiss, Earl	Heath	Severe Cold
Vandecar, Delos	Corbin	Unknown
Walter, William	Miles City	Unknown
Waters, Guy	Malta	Abcess
Westbrook, Emily	Missoula	Unknown
Wilhelm, Edith	Waterloo	Meningitis
Wilson, Clarence	Gebo, Wyo.	Fall
Wood, Leylan	Harlowton	Whooping Cough
Yaeger, May	Glengarry	Spinal Meningitis
Yaeger, William	Glengarry	Meningitis
Young, Fern	Grass Lodge	Meningitis
Zerman, Carl	Havre	Measles
Zywert, Gertrude	Billings	Meningitis

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### Blind Department

Agge, Harold	Billings	Red Pepper
Callahan, Patsy	Missoula	Accident
Ellis, Birdella	Anaconda	Cataract
Ellis, George	Anaconda	Cataract
Ferguson, Harold	Livingston	Cataract
Goodwin, Bert	Flaxville	Ulserations
Heffern, Frankie	Butte	Unknown
Jones, Pearl	Ridge	Measles
Jones, Viva	Ridge	Unknown
Keeland, Ethel	Richey	Unknown
Kauffman, Charlie	Baker	Optic Nerve
Mitchell, Audrey	Coffee Creek	Unknown
Northey, Tom	Morris	Scarlet Fever





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Oppel, Sophia	Billings	Ophthalmia
Reed, James	Billings	Accident
Roberts, Jacob	Big Timber	Accident
Roobol, May	Reed Point	Cataract
Russell, Henry	Browning	Measles
Shea, Dan	Butte	Congenital
Shields, Hugh	Laurel	Injury
Spoelder, Herman	Farmington	Accident
Troutman, Clyde	Belt	Cholera Infantum
Watt, Earnest	Sedan	Ophthalmia

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### Department for Backward Children

NAME	POST OFFICE	COUNTY
Barrick, Alfred	Great Falls	Cascade
Barrick, Clarence	Great Falls	Cascade
Barrieck, Alvy	Great Falls	Cascade
Barker, Leslie	Canyon Ferry	Lewis & Clark
Baumgartner, Werner	Billings	Yellowstone
Belin, John	Butte	Silver Bow
Bennett, Cora	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Black, Warren	Stanford	Fergus
Black, Wilbur	East Helena	Lewis & Clark
Bowlsby, Della	Fromberg	Carbon
Buchholtz, Frances	Butte	Silver Bow
Buchholtz, John	Butte	Silver Bow
Caddy, Samuel	Butte	Silver Bow
Cantrell, Roy	Billings	Yellowstone
Cherlein, Velma	Highwood	Chouteau
Cummings, Francis	Red Lodge	Carbon
Cummings, Meagher	Missoula	Missoula
Daugherty, Lola	Livingston	Carbon
Davis, Earl	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Denny, Lynden	Great Falls	Cascade
Denny, Robert	Butte	Silver Bow
DeChamps, Lewis	Missoula	Missoula
Dolan, May	Butte	Silver Bow
Dolan, Tom	Butte	Silver Bow
Douglas, Madeline	Missoula	Missoula
Duffield, Merle	Browdview	Yellowstone
Dyer, Grace	Columbia Falls	Stillwater
Engbritson, Hilda	Missoula	Missoula
Eveland, Clinton	Columbus	Stillwater
Eveland, Everett	Columbus	Stillwater
Eveland, Geraldina	Columbus	Stillwater
Feirheler, Claude	Missoula	Missoula

Gwynn, Ralph	Anaconda	Deerlodge
Hankinson, Lester	Willow Creek	Gallatin
Hanson, Pearl	Boulder	Jefferson
Hart, Florence	Butte	Silver Bow
Henion, Gethel	Kalispell	Flathead
Janetski, Irene	Great Falls	Cascade
Keast, William	Butte	Silver Bow
Kihm, Raymond	Billings	Yellowstone
Kimball, Murray	Woodville	Jefferson
Knight, Emmalina	Great Falls	Cascade
Kopferschmidt, Ed.	Big Timber	Sweetgrass
Kunkle, Anna	Billings	Yellowstone
Lane, Helen	Lavina	Musselshell
LeFever, Roy	Lewistown	Fergus
Leggo, William	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Lenhart, Arthur	Townsend	Broadwater
Lovett, Enid	Miles City	Custer
Lyndes, Roy	Sanders	Rosebud
McAllister, Sallie	Bozeman	Gallatin
McKevitt, Ed.	Centerville	Silver Bow
Maher, Ruth	Hot Springs	Sanders
Marshall, Twila	East Helena	Lewis & Clark
Mayer, Jennie	Florence	Ravalli
Mechler, Lelah	Galata	Toole
Meier, Ardath	Kalispell	Flathead
Miller, Viola	Kalispell	Flathead
Mitchell, Walter	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Mitchell, Fern	Whitehall	Jefferson
Mizer, Roy	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Mummert, Raymond	Dillon	Beaverhead
Myhre, Lily	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Nader, Ruby	Billings	Yellowstone
Nelson, George	Hamblin	Dawson
Nigg, George	Missoula	Missoula
Norton, Edith	Conrad	Teton
Ole, K. Nasby	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Olson, Otto	Big Timber	Sweetgrass
Ormsby, Florence	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Pagel, Vern Rex	Shelby	Teton
Penman, Ethel	Bozeman	Gallatin
Pense, Iola	Missoula	Missoula
Pierce, John	Butte	Silver Bow
Piero, Peter	Butte	Silver Bow
Pratt, Clara	Libby	Lincoln
Rey, Earnest	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Rice, Bessie	Logan	Gallatin
Riner, Verna	Missoula	Missoula
Roberts, Cyril	Red Lodge	Carbon
Rustven, Cora	Kalispell	Flathead
Rygg, Herbert	Butte	Silver Bow

Sherrill, Victor	Butte	Silver Bow
Siegel, Christena	Missoula	Missoula
Sievers, Mary	Kalispell	Flathead
Simpson, Eugene	Great Falls	Cascade
Skinner, Myrtle	Great Falls	Cascade
Smith, A. Edward	Deer Lodge	Powell
Smith, Iola	Butte	Silver Bow
Sousen, Mary	Shelby	Toole
Spaur, John	Roundup	Musselshell
Stephens, V. Farris	Cut Banks	Teton
Stover, Angelo	Idaho Falls	Idaho
Sundt, Johnnie	Athens	Flathead
Templeman, Edith	Kalispell	Flathead
Theleni, Astred	Butte	Silver Bow
Torrelly, Louis	Helena	Lewis & Clark
Urevig, Margaret	Greycliff	Sweetgrass
VanWagenen, Etta	Eureka	Lincoln
Vucossovich, Sophia	Anaconda	Deerlodge
West Leo.	Livingston	Park
Whitcomb, Effie	Adel	Cascade
Wicks, Willie	Butte	Silver Bow
Wolcott, Mabel	Bozeman	Missoula
Wolfe, Demarcus	Livingston	Park

